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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
LINK et al.) Group Art Unit: 1624
Application No.: 09/541,795) Examiner: S. Patel
Filed: March 31, 2000))
For: CELL ADHESION-INHIBITING ANTIINFLAMMATORY AND IMMUNE-SUPPRESSIVE COMPOUNDS)) Mail Stop AF))

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Sir:

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Assignee, Abbott Laboratories, duly organized under the laws of Illinois and having its principal place of business at 100 Abbott Park Road, Abbott Park, IL, 60064-6050, represents that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the above-identified application, Application No. 09/541,795, filed March 31, 2000, for CELL ADHESION-INHIBITING ANTIINFLAMMATORY AND IMMUNE-SUPPRESSIVE COMPOUNDS in the names of LINK et al., as indicated by the assignment duly recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 010819, Frame 0290 on May 15, 2000. Assignee, Abbott Laboratories, further represents that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to U.S. Patent Application No.

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